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SUBJ: FRENCH INTEREST IN NARCOTICS PROBLEM

1. ON FEBRUARY 23, FRENCH AMBASSADOR OF KABUL PERRUCHE
ASKED EMBOFF FOR A BRIEFING ON THE NARCOTICS SITUATION IN
AFGHANISTAN. PERRUCHE SAID THE FRENCH GOVERNMENT IS
GROWING INCREASINGLY CONCERNED ABOUT ITS OWN ADDICT PROBLEM.
PERRUCHE SAID "WE WESTERN COUNTRIES MUST STAND TOGETHER" IN
MATTERS OF SERIOUS IMPORT.

2. EMBOFF GAVE PERRUCHE GENERAL BRIEFING ON U.S. AND
UNFDAC PROGRAMS IN AFGHANISTAN AND SUGGESTED THAT FRENCH
AMBASSADOR MIGHT WISH TO ASK HIS GOVERNMENT OF REVIEW
POSSIBLE INCREASED SUPPORT FOR UNFDAC. AMBASSADOR SAID THIS
WAS A GOOD IDEA AND INDICATED HE WOULD COMMUNICATE IMPORTANCE
OF GREATER FRENCH ROLE IN UNFDAC TO HIS MINISTRY OF FOREIGN
AFFAIRS.

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3. COMMENT: PERRUCHE IS AN UNUSUALLY FRIENDLY (TO THE
U.S.) FRENCH DIPLOMAT. WE HAVE THE IMPRESSION HERE HE
WAS ACTING ON INSTRUCTIONS IN RAISING NAROCITCS ISSUES
WITH US HERE. WE ARE NOT CERTAIN IF PERRUCHE WILL URGE
GREATER FRENCH SUPPORT FOR ANTI-NARCOTICS PROGRAM IN
AFGHANISTAN. END COMMENT.

4. IF S/NM OR U.S. MISSION GENEVA BELIEVE ADDITIONAL FOLLOWUP
IN KABUL WOULD BE HELPFUL FOR GREATER FRENCH SUPPORT IN
ANTI-NARCOTICS PROGRAMS, PLEASE ADVISE.

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